

"That fines, duties or taxes may justly be imposed or laid with a political view for the good government and benefit of the community, yet as the bill in its present shape, does not meet our approbation in those respects and it being in our opinion a money bill which we have no right to alter or amend, we have returned it to your honorable body rejected.

The same having been read, after considerable discussion, the question was put, "will the senate receive the substitute." Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, will the senate assent to the message.

The yeas and nays being required appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Marriott, Pres't Harrison, Heath,
Rees Sewell, Thomas,
Whiteley.—7

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Dennis, Forrest, Johnson Kennedy—4.

Determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the senate re-considered the said message.

Mr. Kennedy moved to lay the message and the bill to which it relates, on the table, and the question was put and determined in the affirmative.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a bill to incorporate the female penitent refuge in the city of Baltimore, which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Heath, Johnson and Thomas.

Also, a bill to authorise the commissioners of Baltimore county assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money to build a bridge over black rock run, near the new Baptist meeting house at a place called the stone bridge in said county, which was read the first time.

Also a bill respecting the western limits of the state of Maryland, and the dividing line and boundaty between it and the commonwealth of Virginia, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Kennedy Johnson and Harrison.

And returned the resolution requesting the governor to transmit a copy of the bill to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehannah rail road company, to the legislature of Pennsylvania, endorsed, "assented to."